

c/o R. SLACK, Esq.,

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DEAR EDITOR,

You suggest in your letter to the students that "when in a district, where there are many students," that they should organise meetings. As I find there are ten or twelve students in the neighbourhood of Manchester, and the desire for such meetings has been expressed to me, I should be so glad to receive the names of any who would care to attend meetings should they be got up. I think Manchester is a central place to meet at, and Miss Dod, Mistress of Method at Owen's, thinks she may be able to put a room at our disposal. My idea is that the first meeting should be informal, and that afterwards we should discuss set subjects, but I should be glad to have ideas on this point. I doubt if we could meet more than once a term, but I think if we could organise such meetings, we might receive inspiration and help from one another.

Yours truly,

E. M. GARNIER.

## STUDENTS' MEETINGS.

The Editor regrets to record that these have been very badly attended. In order to secure a better attendance, a definite subject for discussion will be proposed for each meeting. The following is a provisional list, but suggestions would be thankfully accepted. These meetings to be held at the Victoria A.B.C.

*Saturday, September 26th, 4.30.—Amusements and entertainments for winter evenings.*

*Saturday, October 24th, 4.30.—The Religions of the World told as fairy stories.*

*Saturday, November 28th, 4.30.—The making of Christmas presents.*

*Saturday, December 19th.—Annual Meeting for electing officers, &c. This meeting will be held at some place to be announced later, and all members are earnestly begged to attend if in any way possible, especially those who were not able to attend the Ambleside Conference. The following subjects have been suggested for discussion at it:—*

1. The duties of students to each other.
2. The compilation of a list of books found useful in Nature study. (This was asked for once at a Conference, and not one student present could give a comprehensive answer.)
3. Moral training on such points as—
  1. Playing cards for money and betting.
  2. Sunday customs.

A very successful students' meeting was held in London on Wednesday, July 29th, and the students who assembled had the pleasure of meeting Miss Hodgson. A discussion took place on the possibility of securing better paper, &c., for the Nature Note Books—further suggestions and applications should be addressed to Miss L. Armfield, at the Victoria Street Office.